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Do You Know that oplum and morphine are stupefying narcotic poisons

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Well, these things are worth knowing. They are facts.



is on every

A CLEVER POLITICAL POEM.

It Was Written by an Irishman During

the Rebellion of 1798.

has recently come under the notice of a contributor to a northern contemporary.

friend of Lord Edward Fitzgerald, and,

thither that he distributed copies of the

The pomp of courts and pride of kings I prize above all earthly things. I love my country, but the king. Above all men his praise I sing. The royal banners are displayed And may success the standard aid.

I fain would banish far from hence The "Rights of Man" and common Confusion to his odious reign, That foe to princes, Thomas Painel Defeat and ruin seize the cause Of France, its liberties and laws!

If the above lines be read continuous-

ly, they seem to express very loyal sen-timents. But if you read the first line of the first verse, and then the first line

of the second verse, you will find that

they breathe the spirit of rampant re-

The pomp of courts and pride of kings
I fain would banish far from hence.
I prize above all carthly things
The "Rights of Man" and common sense.
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Confusion to his odious reign!

Above all men his praise I sing,
That foe to princes, Thomas Paine!
The royal banners are displayed.
Defeat and ruin seize the cause!
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Of France, its liberties and laws.

Arthur O'Connor ultimately made his

way to France, where, in 1807, he mar-ried the daughter of the Marquis de

Condorcet. He entered the French army

and rose to the rank of general. His death took place in April, 1852, when

HEARD EIGHTEEN MILES.

Human Voice Carried From One End of a Canyon to the Other.

on record at which a man's voice has

been heard. This occurred in the Grand

canyon of the Colorado, where one man shouting the name of Bob at one end,

his voice was plainly heard at the other

Lieutenant Foster, on Peary's third

arctic expedition, found that he could

converse with a man across the harbor

of Port Bowen, a distance of 6,696 feet,

or about 11/4 miles, and Sir John Frank-

lin said that he conversed with ease at

a distance more than a mile. Dr. Young

records that at Gibraltar the human

voice has been heard at a distance of ten

Colladon, by experiments made in the lake of Geneva, estimated that a bell

submerged in the sea might be heard at

a distance of more than 60 miles. Frank-

lin says that he heard the striking to

gether of two stones in the water half a

mile away. Over water of a surface of ice sound is propagated with greater clearness and strength. Dr. Hutton re-

lates that on a quiet part of the Thames,

near Chelsea, he could hear a person

read distinctly at the distance of 140

feet, while away from the water the

same could only be heard at 76 feet.

Professor Tyndall, when on Mont Blanc,

found the report of a pistol shot no

londer than the pop of a champagne

from the earth a long time after they

Persons in a balloon can hear voices

Sound has remarkable force in water.

end, which is 18 miles away.

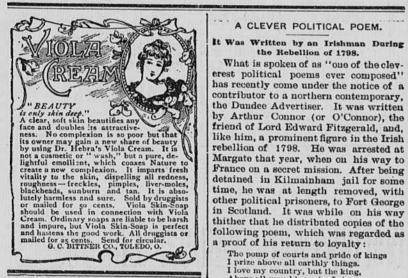
Eighteen miles is the longest distance

he was 87 years of age.

a proof of his return to loyalty:

What is spoken of as "one of the cleverest political poems ever composed'

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.



The Apology Was Accepted

"There is a good story on The Examiner," said J. Ross Jackson, the exnewspaper man, to some friends in the Palace yesterday, "and although I'm out of the business I can't overlook its merit on that account. It appears that a druggist named Putuam was killed in Willows recently by a man named Sehorn. The telegraphed report came to The Call and also to The Chronicle. The next morning, when Managing Editor Hamilton of The Examiner was looking over the record of the day, he discovered that his paper had been 'scooped' on that particular item. He thereupon sent for Mr. Corey, the coast

editor of the paper.

"'Mr. Corey,' he said, with a dignified look on his face, 'have we a correspondent in Willows?'

"'Did he send in a report of that murder?

" 'No.'

"'Fire him."

"'How? By mail?'

"'No. By telegraph. We can't dispose of a man like that too quickly. correspondent who doesn't know that a mur er has been committed in his town is 't fit for the position. Bounce him.' 'Mr. Corey went to his record book

of correspondents and presently returned to the managing editor.

"'Mr. Hamilton, there are certain circumstances in this man's favor that'"'There are no circumstances that would justify such an exhibition of in-

competency. Bounce him, I say!' no parallel. That man has a good excuse for overlooking the importance of

"'Well, what was his excuse?' inquired the editor, becoming nervous.
""Well," answered Corey, scratching his chin a moment, 'he was the man

who got killed.'

"Mr. Hamilton lapsed into silence and went on reading some proofs. "-San Francisco Call.

Animale Line opecon

The theory is advanced by Bayard Taylor that animals remember and recognize the speech of their native land. Once, noticing in Barnum's museum a hippopotamus which wore an unmistakable look of dejection, he spoke to it in English. The beast did not move. Going to another corner of the cage, he said in

"I know you. Come here to me." The animal at once turned its head, and when Taylor repeated the words it

came to him, rubbed its head against the bars and looked up at him with evident delight.

Calls for the same species of animals differ in different parts of the world, but each individual will undoubtedly get used to his habitual call. Cab horses have often been known to pay no attention to gentle coaxing, but to start off themselves are inaudible to people be-promptly at the usual flow of expletives. | low.—Chicago Times-Herald. -Chicago News.

ANECDOTES OF SPURGEON. How the Great English Preacher Came to

Some years ago I was at a hotel in Paris, and to my great delight found Mr. Spurgeon one wet afternoon in the smoking room. He was attending a religious conference and was accompanied by a kind of bodyguard of elders and deacons, one or two of whom constantly watched him. Fortunately for me, none of them smoked, and when they mount-ed their usual watch he literally choked them off in a few minutes. I was therefore his sole audience on two or three occasions. I have known most of the good conversationists and raconteurs of my time; but, except perhaps Robert Louis Stevenson, he was by far the best. I understand that a biography of Mr. Spurgeon has lately appeared, but I have not seen it and doubt if the author has preserved the following anecdote, which I venture to write down, as nearly as I

can remember, in his own words:
"You wouldn't gness what calling
I wanted to follow. I wanted to be a
whipper in of hounds. Yes, there was
never a meet near where I was brought up without my attending, and many a long run I had, often across plowed fields, and many a time I was alone at the death. I could not do it now"-and then he looked at his ample waistcoat and laughed. I never heard a more pleasant laugh nor one more sympathetic and infectious. He continued:

"You wouldn't guess how I came to be a smoker. When I was 16, I went to my father and told him there was a va-cancy, and that I should like to go in for it. 'A vacancy for what?' he asked. 'For a whipper in to the hounds, and I should be sure to get it.' He answered, very solemnly, 'Charles, my son, you should be a whipper in of souls,' and he sent me down into the Fen country to preach in the villages. When I came home, I developed a violent cold, with a good deal of fever and some twinges of rheumatism. I told my father all my experiences—how I had been received, how they had crowded in-but there was one thing in particular that I dwelt

on.
"I had observed in every cottage that the old people sat in the chimney corners and that the table before me was ornamented with two long pipes, cross-ed, between two jars of tobacco and two hymnbooks. At one of these meetings, just as I was about to speak, an old man took up and filled a pipe, and then

drawing a hot cinder from the fire proceeded to offer it to me. I gave him a look intended to wither him up, for I allowed no levity''—here another laugh.

"'I see,' said my father, 'how you have acquired that heavy cold.' When I was better, I started on another tour, but before I left home my father said in his most impressive tones. (Charles my his most impressive tones, 'Charles, my son, if they fill and light a pipe for you, smoke it. If they don't, fill and light for yourself. And, in any case, don't keep them from their tobacco. In that climate and at this time of year smoking is your best protection. ing is your best protection against fe verish colds.' "-London Realm.

A HARROWING EXPERIENCE.

Story of an Execution by Electricity Re-lated on an Elevated Train.

They got on a crowded Sixth avenue elevated train at Fourteenth street, and every one looked at them because they were both young and both pretty. They talked together in audible tones, with all the enthusiasm of youth, and the other passengers listened to it all with great interest.

Suddenly one of them, the smaller one, turned to her companion and with a look of horror on her face asked: "Oh, Win, did you ever see any one

killed by electricity?"

"Gracious, no!" exclaimed the other.

"I should hope not."

"I did," laconically rejoined the

"Why, Florence, what do you mean?"

demanded her companion.
"Oh, it was terrible," replied Florence in all seriousness. "I never want to see anything like it again."

"How utterly ridiculous!" remarked her friend. "Whom did you ever see killed by electricity?" "Why," replied Florence, an ag-

grieved expression coming over her face, "it was the other afternoon up in Harlem. I saw a cat run over by an electric

The other passengers tried not to smile, but it was too funny, considering that the girl meant every word she said. Neither girl noticed the amusement of the other passengers, however, and Florence doesn't know yet of the amusement the passengers got out of her harrowing experience. - New York Sun.

Carlyle Corrected.

At a Royal academy dinner in London some years ago several artists were expressing their enthusiasm about Titian. Carlyle and Thackeray, it appears, were among the guests. Mrs. Annie C. Wilson tells the story of what followed:

"His glorious coloring is a fact about Titian," said one man, striking the table to give emphasis to the remark. "And his glorious drawing is another

fact about Titian!" cried another artist. And so they went on until Carlyle, who had been listening in silence to their rhapsodies, interrupted them by saying, with a slow deliberation which had its own impressive emphasis:

"And here I sit, a man made in the image of God, who knows nothing about Titian and cares nothing about Titian, and that's another fact about Titian.'

Thackeray was sipping claret at the moment. He paused and bowed courte-ously to Carlyle. "Pardon me," he said; "that appears to me to be not a fact about Titian, but a fact, and a lamentable one, about Carlyle.

Might Have Known.

Young Wife-Hubby, dear, do you ve me better than your pipe? Young Husbaud—What a foolish question to ask, dear!

Young Wife (sadly)—Yes. I might have known without asking.—Detroit Free Press.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE

New York Stock Market.

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New York, Jan. 7.—The stock market to day was nervous and was pretty clear of support by powerful financial interests. There was also a covering movement of large dimensions. Rumors of probable heavy exports of gold by Wednesday's steamers, continued discussion of the Government bond call, predictions of tight money and liquidation of investment in railroad bonds for local and foreign account were all taken into account. No loan certificates were applied for by any of the New York banks and money on call at the stock exchange did not exceed the legal rate. The initial prices recorded declines of 1@2 per cent, but the selling movement soon abated and on a considerable dimunition in the volume of business a rally occurred all along the line. The closing was firm with the net changes irregular.

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Closing stocks were as follows:
Atchison, 13½; Adams Express, 140; Baltimore and Ohio, 36; Chesapeake and Ohio, 13½; Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, 73; Chicago Gas, 63½; C. C. C. and St. Louis, 32½; Del., Lackawanna and Western, 156; Distillers and Cattle Feeders Co., 14½; Erie, 13½; Erie preferred, 20½; Great Northern preferred, 210; Lake Shore, 13½; Lead Trust, 23½; Louisville and Nashville, 40½; National Cordage preferred, 9; N. J. Central, 95½; Norfolk and Western preferred, 1; Northwestern, 96½; Northern Pacific preferred, 1; Northwestern, 96½; Northwestern preferred, 140; N. Y. Central, 94; N. Y. and New England, 45; Pacific Mail, 23; Pullman Palzce, 150; Reading, 2½; Rock Island, 63; St. Paul, 65½; St. Paul and Omaha, 32½; Southern Pacific, 19½; Sugar Refinery, 99; Union Pacific, 3½; Western Union, 83½; General Electric, 23½; Southern, 8½; Southern preferred, 24½; Tobacco, 77½; Tobacco preferred, 100

New York Money Market.

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New York Jan. 7.—Money on call at 2@6 per cent., last loan 3 per cent., closed offered 3 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 6@9 per cent.; sterling exchange dull with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.89@4.89\(\frac{1}{2}\) for demand and 4.87\(\frac{1}{2}\)(0.487\(\frac{1}{2}\) for sixty days. Posted rates 4 88@4.80\(\frac{1}{2}\) for sixty days. Commercial bills, 4.86\(\frac{1}{2}\). Silver certificates, 67\(\frac{1}{2}\)(0.7\(\frac{1}{2}\). Bar silver, 66\(\frac{1}{2}\). Government bonds firm and higher. State bonds inactive. Railroad bonds weak. Petroleum strong, 150 bid.

Ohicago Market.

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CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—The pre-eminent influence on the board to-day was the squally political outlook in Europe. There were other bullish influences bus this predominated. The big bear factor was the financial situation. The report that from \$1,000,000 to \$5,000,000 has been engaged for shipment aided in weakening wheat for a time, but it soon became strong again, closing 1% higher than yesterday. Corn and cause each gained % with wheat, while provisions were heavy and declined.

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Wheat, No. 2—January, opening, 58½, closing, 57½; February, opening, 58½, closing, 68½; May, opening, 59, closing, 60½; July, opening, 59½, closing, 61.

Corn, No. 2—January, opening, 26½, closing, 26½; May, opening, 28½, closing, 23½; July, opening, 29½, closing, 23½; July, opening, 29½, closing, 19½.

Oats No. 2—January, opening, —, closing, 17%; Fabruary, opening, 17%; closing, 17%; May, opening, 19%, closing, 10%, 10%.

ing.19%.
Mess pork, per bbl.—January, open-

opening, 9.15, closing 9.25; May, opening, opening, 9.50, closing, 9.50

Lard, per 100 lbs — January, opening, 5.42%, closing, 5.45, May, opening, 5.70, closing, 5.70.

ing, 5 42%, closing, 5.43, May, opening, 5.70, closing, 5.70.

Short ribs, per 100 lbs.—January, opening, 4 45, closing, 4.45; May, opening, 4 45, closing, 4.45; May, opening, 4 75, closing, 4.75.

Cash quotations were as follows:
Flour firm; patents, 3.15@3.40; soft, 3 10@3.30. No. 2 spring wheat, 58%; No. 3 spring wheat, 56@56%; No. 2 red61%@61%, No. 2 corn, 20%; No. 2 yellow, 26%; No. 2 corn, 20%; No. 2 yellow, 26%; No. 2 cors, 17%@17%; No. 2 white, 19%@20%; No. 3 white, 18%@19%; No. 2rye, 31; No. 2 barley, nominal; No. 3, 31@33; No. 4, 22@23%; No. 1 flaxseed, 93; prime timothy seed, 3.57%; mess pork per bbl., 9.22@9 25; lard per 100 lbs., 5.40; shert ribs sides (loose) 4 4 @4.50; dry salted shoulders, (boxed) 4 %@4.50; dry salted shoulders, (boxed) 4 %@4.50; whiskey, distillers' finished goods, per gallon, 1.22; sugars, out loaf, 5.50 granulated, 4.87; standard A, 4.75.

Cincinnati Produce Market.

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Cincinnati, Ohio, Jan. 7.—Flour firm; family, 2.55@2.80; fancy 3.00@ 3.15 Wheat firm; No. 2 red, 68; receipts, 6.000; shipments, 1,000. Corn good demand; No. 3 mixed, 30. Oats quiet; No. 2 mixed, 20%. Rye nominal; No. 2. 39%. Lard fair demand, lower, 5.30. Bulk meats less scrive, 4.75. Bacon easier, 5.62%. Whiskey, quiet; sales 512 barrels at 1.22. Butter dull; fancy Elgin creamery, 25; Ohio, 18@20; dairy, 10@11. Sugar steady; hard refined, 3%@5%. Eggs steady, 17c. Cheese quiet; good to prime Ohio fiat, 9%@10.

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No. 7—Eight-room brick residence on Campbell avenue e. w., near Roanoke street; lot 50x15 feet. Price \$400; \$30 cash knd \$10 per month.

No. 9—Four-room cottage on Meound avenue.

No. 9—Four-room house on Moorman Road: lot dix10. Price \$400; \$30 cash knd \$10 per month.

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